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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT application of

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For: FLAT CABLE AND MODULAR
ROTARY ANVIL TO MAKE
SAME

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 22, 2002. Filed concurrently is a Request for a Three-Month Extension of Time. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace page 2, paragraph 1 (lines 1-3) with the following:

--This application is a continuation-in-part application of co-pending U.S. Application Serial Number 05/627,136 filed April 3, 1996, now U.S. Patent Number 6,026,563 which issued on February 22, 2000.--

In the Abstract

Please replace the Abstract with the following:

--A flat electrical cable and a modular rotary anvil for assembling a flat electrical cable is provided wherein the flat cable includes an upper and lower layer, the upper layer having ribs protruding along its length and substantially parallel to one another, and continuous substantially

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